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A PUBLIC MEETING
(under the Auspices of the U.F.A.)
will be held on
Tuesday Eve'g, July 15
at 8 o'clock
in

Chinook Consolidated School

WM. IRVINE

(of Calgary) will address the meeting on

"POLITICAL ACTION BY FARMERS,"

How Shall We Take It?

AND

will discuss the Independent Political Movement
in Alberta

The opportunity for questions will be given

Ladies are Specially Invited

Subject is of importance to all—Come and bring
your friends

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Get your Work Shoes now before the old stock is all gone, at old prices

from \$5.00 to \$7.50 per pair

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The Store with the Goods

Breezelots

Hindenburg is another German guy who is willing to make himself a martyr in place of the emperor before the Allied tribunal.

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But Hindy needn't worry, he'll get there himself on his own account.

Ex-Emperor William is to be tried before the Allied tribunal in London, England.

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Last time William was in London—just before the war—he was wined and dined as a true friend of Britain—but was at the same time planning the overthrow of the British Empire.

"Disposal of this year's crop is complicated," says an Ottawa dispatch.

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Old Sol and Jupiter Pluvius have complicated the crop situation—and ruined the majority of the farmers West.

"Production cost must be lowered," says committee on high cost of living.

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Get down to brass tacks with the profiteers, and the H.C.L. will be quickly lowered.

The German Crown Prince is the latest to offer to take his father's responsibility for the war.

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But no substitute will be allowed by the Allied tribunal to take the ex-Kaiser's medicine or his just dues.

THE CHINOOK G.W.V.A. AT OYEN

The Chinook local G.W.V.A. had intended having a banquet on Peace Night, the 19th instant, but the committee in charge decided that, in view of the fact that the Oyen local was having a celebration on that day, the banquet be indefinitely postponed. The committee has further decided that motor cars will be supplied free to veterans and their wives, wishing to attend the Oyen celebration. The cars will leave Chinook at 10 o'clock the morning of the 19th, arriving at Oyen in time for lunch. All veterans should notify Mr. L. E. Ormond, of Chinook (the secretary) as to whether or not they will be able to attend.

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WITHDRAWAL OF INSURED CROP DESTROYED FROM ANY CAUSE OTHER THAN HAIL

Provision is made in the Act whereby the person insured, by sending registered notice on the form provided, to the Hall Insurance Board, Box 140, Calgary, may, on any date between June 15th and July 20th, withdraw any of the crop insured that has been destroyed from any cause other than hail.

A proportionate amount of the premium will be charged against the land to pay the insurance from June 15th to the date of withdrawal.

The necessary forms may be obtained from the Secretary-treasurer of the Municipal District.

DIVINE SERVICE AT CARPATHIA-CROCUS DISTRICT

Divine service was again conducted at the home of Mr. Neil McLean on Sunday, July 5th, at 3 p.m. Mr. Elliot read Psalm 27, and from St. Luke's Gospel, 5th chapter, taking his text from the 5th verse, "Master, we have toiled all the night and taken nothing, nevertheless, at thy word, I will let down the net."

The minister drew a good word picture of these fishermen, disciples, who, as seasoned and experienced fishermen, watched the waves on the Lake of Genesaret and knew just the right time and place to fish on this night; all signs had been favorable, yet they had toiled all night and caught nothing." Then they had pulled in to the shore in the morning with empty boats and Our Lord, entering Simon's boat, told him to pull out from the land. "Launch out into the deep, and let out the nets." To the experienced fishermen this seemed to be neither the time nor reasonable, but with the greatest faith—the loving impulsive Peter replied, "At thy word I will let down the net" and the miraculous draught of fishes was the result.

After all, how many of us there are who set out with bright hopes, doing our work in the best way we can, and putting all our earnestness, zeal and industry into it only to feel that we too, "have toiled and got nothing?" In these trying times of sickness, war, and social unrest and crop failures, how apt we are to get disheartened, and feel that our work is a failure, forgetting that as Brown says it, "God's in his heaven,

All's right with the world." We need the faith of Peter to launch out into the deep, and let down the net," trusting all to the all-wise Father for what seems a failure in our work may be working in us for success, moulding and refining as "Gold is tried by fire."

A short sermon was preached by Mr. Elliot to the children. He told them of the many instances in the Bible in which children had played an important part to Samuel, who was dedicated to God's service from a child, and how "Samuel ministered before the Lord, being a child" of the little captive Hebrew maid in the house of Naaman the leper, and of the lad who had the five barley loaves and two small fishes that fed the multitude on the shores of the Sea of Galilee. The sermon was much appreciated. There was a fairly large attendance.

Canadian Northern surveyors are again at work south of town, and have staked a survey which covers the main south road between 15 and 16 miles from town, according to reports of residents in the vicinity.

The surveyors, it is said, have stated that the route is an alternative one to that surveyed a short time ago further south, it being desired to see which route offers the easiest grade.

Announcement is also made that work has already been started by the C.P.R. on the line from Drumheller to Acme, the contract being let to Foley, Welsh & Stewart, who have sublet the contract to Burns, Jordan & Welsh. Mr. Jordan is already on the ground, organizing and preparing to start work. The headquarters of the construction parties have been made at Gralinger, a few miles east of Acme.

Information received by The Plaindealer is to the effect that east of Drumheller the line will proceed as far as the Bullpond creek, where it will divide, the C.P.R. building a line along the southerly route, which was surveyed earlier in the spring, and which will connect up with the Acadia Valley line and run into Empress, while the C.N.R. will build along the northerly route which is now being surveyed and connect up with their system across the Saskatchewan border.

IMPROVEMENTS IN TAX RECOVERY ACT

Simpler Methods of Proceeding

dure in Lands That Are Sold for Taxes

The various municipal acts in force in the province provide for forfeiture proceedings being taken against land which taxes are in arrears. By these proceedings the title to the land is forfeited to the municipality, subject to redemption within a year, and if the land is not redeemed, then it may be sold by the municipality. This method of tax enforcement has proved to be both expensive and tedious, as it requires the making out of a tax enforcement return: abstracts of title are required to be secured from the Land Titles office for all lands on the said tax enforcement return; notices have to be sent by registered mail at least sixty days prior to date of the court at which the tax enforcement return is to be confirmed to all parties having any interest in the land and notice of court has to be advertised in the local newspaper and in the Alberta Gazette. After the tax enforcement return has been confirmed, additional abstracts have to be obtained, two more sets of notices have to be issued and advertisements again inserted in local newspapers and Alberta Gazette, giving date of final forfeiture. If the land is finally sold, it is at least fourteen months from the date of commencement of forfeiture proceedings before the municipality realizes all its taxes, and if, as frequently happens in urban municipalities, the land cannot be sold at all, the municipality does not receive its taxes and in addition is out a large amount spent in obtaining abstracts, printing and mailing special notice, advertising date of court, advertising date of final forfeiture and so on.

Because these proceedings were so expensive, burdensome and unsatisfactory, the Hon. A. G. Mackay, Minister of Municipal Affairs, at the last session of the legislature, introduced legislation under the name of the Tax Recovery Act, which will greatly simplify and reduce the expense of tax enforcement proceedings in future. Under the Tax Recovery Act, lands on which taxes are in arrears on the first day of July of the year following that in which they are levied, are liable to be sold for taxes and the treasurer, assessor or collector, as the case may be, of each city, town, village or municipal district shall, on or before the fourteenth day of August in each year, submit to the mayor or reeve of the municipality, a list of all lands that are liable to be sold for taxes. The list that is correct, gives the proper mayor or reeve, on satisfying himself per official a warrant authorizing him to advertise for sale all the lands included in such list. Such sale is required to be advertised once a week for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper or newspapers published in the municipality, or if there is no newspaper published therein, in a newspaper circulating in the municipality. Such advertisement must be published not less than six weeks before the date of sale and is required to contain a list of the lands to be sold. In addition to the publication of the list as above mentioned, there shall be published once during each week after the period of two weeks above mentioned, but prior to date of sale, a notice of such sale and a statement as to where the list of lands may be seen. Notice of the sale is also required to be published in two issues of the Alberta Gazette, the last issue to appear not less than two weeks before the date of sale. No lands, the title to which is vested in the crown, can be included in such sale.

Lands so offered for sale shall be sold to the highest bidder, and if they cannot be sold for the full amount of the arrears of taxes and costs, they

may be sold for a lesser sum, subject, however, to a minimum value that may be placed upon them by the council of the municipality. This minimum value shall not be advertised, but shall be treated by the treasurer as the upset selling price. Any lands which are not sold at such a sale shall be included in the list of lands offered for sale the following year. The purchaser at the tax sale will only be required to pay at date of sale the amount due the municipality for arrears of taxes and costs, even if the land is sold for more than the arrears of taxes and costs.

As soon as the sale is completed, a return showing the lands sold will be sent to the registrar of the land titles office for the registration district in which the land is situated, who shall register against such land, a memorandum of sale, so that any prospective purchaser or money lender may be protected.

All lands sold at a tax sale are subject to redemption within a period of one year from the date of sale. Where lands sold are not redeemed by the end of the year all parties shown by the record of the land titles office to be interested in any way in the land, will forthwith be notified of that fact by registered mail, and after a period of sixty days has elapsed from the expiration of the redemption period, a return of the unredeemed lands will be submitted to a judge of the district court, who, on being satisfied that due notice has been given and that all matters in connection with the proceedings are regular, shall make such transfer as he deems advisable and in accordance with this order the treasurer shall then issue transfer to any tax sale purchaser, on receiving from him payment of the balance outstanding, and such transfer shall entitle the purchaser to an indefeasible title, except as to claims of the municipality or the crown. Any monies paid to the municipality over and above the taxes due, shall be paid to the persons declared by an order of a judge of the district court to be entitled thereto.

By comparing the procedure under the Tax Recovery Act with the provisions that have hitherto been in force, it will be noted that under the Tax Recovery Act, it is only necessary for the municipality to obtain abstracts of titles and to send notice by registered mail, in connection with the land which are sold and not redeemed, whereas under the forfeiture proceedings that have been in force under our municipal acts, it is necessary to obtain abstracts of title of all lands in which taxes are in arrears, to send notice by registered mail to all parties shown to be interested, then during the year allowed for redemption after the land has been forfeited, it is necessary for another set of abstracts to be secured and two more notices to be sent to each person shown to be interested in the land, and after all this trouble and expense the municipality in many cases is unable to collect any taxes whatever.

The Tax Recovery Act provides for the immediate sale of land for taxes, without waiting for a year as required by the forfeiture proceedings. If the land can be sold at all, this brings in the taxes immediately. If it cannot be sold, very little expense has been incurred. In addition to making provision whereby municipalities may obtain their taxes more quickly, the Tax Recovery Act provides a simple method whereby action may be taken at an expense that will not be more than one-third of what it was under the forfeiture proceedings set forth in different municipal acts, and if the land is worth the taxes the municipality gets results quickly, while if the land will not sell, the municipality has not been put to any great expense.

The provisions of the Tax Recovery Act will come into force in the year 1920, and on and after the year 1920 the tax enforcement proceedings provided for in the municipal acts will cease to be operative except insofar as proceedings instituted prior to the end of the current year are concerned.

Kaiser Will Have Trial In London

London.—William Hohenzollern, the former German emperor, will be brought to England in a British ship and imprisoned in the Tower of London, according to the Daily Mail.

The death penalty will not be sought; the newspaper points out, but if he is found guilty, the allies will ask his banishment for life to a remote island, following the precedent of Napoleon's exile on St. Helena.

The international trial court had intended to try the former emperor alone, the Daily Mail said, but it is possible that the former crown prince Frederick will also be arraigned before it.

The note to Holland requesting the extradition of the former German emperor, it is understood, will be signed by two-tenths or twenty-three of the powers.

The former German emperor's guards at Amherstburg have been increased, according to the Daily Mail correspondent, and his staff has been reduced. Lieut-Gen. Von Estorff has left for Berlin. Well-informed circles at The Hague, this correspondent says, do not believe that Holland will give the ex-emperor up to the allies. They are of the opinion that he will remain in Holland for the rest of his life.

Paris.—The officers' corps of the Prussian army and German navy, according to a Berne dispatch to the Havas Agency, have sent a lengthy appeal to the Queen of Holland not to permit the extradition of the former German emperor.

Winnipeg Strike Solved Nothing

Winnipeg.—The Western Labor News says:

"After nearly nine weeks of strike and strife, the metal shop workers went back to work. That is, the strike is off, though some men are not re-employed and some others refuse to go back on the conditions offered."

"The big three employers are still opposed to collective bargaining, as understood by trades unions. They refuse to deal with the business agents of the unions. Some of the smaller firms do recognize the unions in the true sense."

Saskatoon.—At the Empire theatre in Saskatoon and the Regina theatre, Regina, for the fair weeks there will be offered three times each day one of the famous "Pantages vaudeville shows. These will comprise some 20 or 30 of the premiere vaudeville artists of the day, offering in conjunction with movies, a two-hour show that should be a welcome added attraction to the already strong fair attractions.

Getting Rid of a Few

Charleston, S.C.—A trainload of Germans, formerly interned at Fort Oglethorpe, embarked on the transport Princess Mataika for Rotterdam to be repatriated.

Postal Workers Have Failed To Attain Object

Ottawa.—The government has decided that it cannot recede from the policy it has so far pursued in the matter of locked-out postal workers in Winnipeg. A delegation of members of the Amalgamated Postal Workers took a train back to the West, having failed in an attempt to persuade the government to reconsider its policy of making permanent appointments of postal employees who acted as strike breakers when the regular postal employees came out in a sympathetic strike on May 15.

The delegation was composed of C. Silvertz, president of the Amalgamated Postal Workers, Victoria; L. Pleckup, Winnipeg; J. V. Johnston, Winnipeg, and A. Venables, Calgary.

"We came at the request of the strikers," said Mr. Silvertz, "with a view to securing a modification of the position the government has taken on this question. We could not ask for less than reinstatement for the employees locked out.

"In an interview with Sir Robert Borden, the premier said the question resolved itself into three points:

"1. Reinstatement as requested.

"2. To modify its attitude and reinstate some of the men, or,

"3. Adhere rigidly to the ultimatum issued by Hon. Mr. Meighen.

"We went before the cabinet for its reply, and it does not see its way clear to recede from the position it has already taken. We have failed in our object."

Belgium Ratifies Peace Treaty

Patriotic Demonstration in Parliament in Course of Proceedings

Brussels.—The Belgian foreign minister introduced bills in the chamber ratifying the treaty with Germany and the agreements connected with the treaty. The president of the chamber read a letter from King Albert congratulating the chamber and the country on the victory achieved after the horrors of war and exhorting the country to be united in the efforts necessary to the work of restoration and reorganization. The reading of the letter was greeted with a great patriotic demonstration.

The senate passed bills providing for expression of the nation's homage to those killed in battle or executed during the war.

A Huge Contract

Reconstruction Is Started By a Big Outlay in France

Paris.—A vast reconstruction program for the whole of France at an estimated cost of 40,000,000,000 francs was announced in the chamber of deputies by M. Bedoucet, budget reporter, during the debate on public works. The plan includes reconstruction of railroads, some of which will be electrified, and large projects for building canals and improving harbors.

New York.—A contract for rebuilding of the war ravaged Nancy district of France has been awarded to the Vulcan Steel Products Company of New York, at an estimated figure of \$250,000,000, it is learned in financial circles here.

Cossacks Break Through

Ekatinodar.—The Don Cossacks have occupied Millerovo and broken the Bolshevik front north of Millerovo. In their successful advance the Kuban Cossacks put to route four infantry and two cavalry regiments of the Bolshevik forces. West of Ekatinodar, the Bolsheviks have been defeated on the Kerch peninsula on the eastern end of the Crimea.

Black Watch—The Best Black Plug Chewing Tobacco on the Market

Revolt Stalls in Berlin

Berlin.—The communistic leaven has again arrived at the fermenting stage in Greater Berlin, and there were indications that the strike movement may develop into a political insurrection. The candor and boldness with which the independent Socialists and their Communist brethren are playing their cards shows they feel more sure of their footing than during the March revolt.

Food Riots In Italy

Protests at Price of Food of Serious Nature

Forli, Italy.—After a great meeting here, in which a vast crowd protested against the high cost of living, the people, excited by inflammatory speeches, attacked, sacked and destroyed many shops which refused to sell commodities at the lower prices. Soon the fury of the mob made no distinction and had no limits. All the principal shops were plundered and the mobs controlled the entire city. They took possession of lories and transported all kinds of goods and food supplies from the pillaged shops to the chamber of labor.

On the walls of the chamber they wrote: "These goods are at the disposal of the people."

The situation grew worse during the day, assuming a revolutionary character, and the mob continued to loot and destroy all kinds of property. The food riots here, however, differed fundamentally from those at Spezia early in June. At Spezia the rioters looted for their own advantage, while at Forli most of the wheat taken from the shops was transferred to the care of the municipality or the chamber of labor to be distributed to the people sold at low prices.

The value of the goods stored by the municipality was estimated at 8,000,000 lire. The owners of those shops which escaped sacking brought their keys to the municipality, which is composed of socialists and republicans, and they ordered that the shops be reopened and the goods sold for half price under the supervision of representatives of the demonstrating masses.

Despite this apparent return to order in the riotous moment, the losses are enormous owing to the destruction of shop fittings and commodities which could not be easily transported, such as gasoline, which was burned in great quantities.

Peace River Coal

Leases Cancelled

Smoky River Leases Were Subject of Investigation By Senate Committee

Ottawa.—As a result of the investigation by the select committee of the senate appointed several days ago to enquire into the question of certain valuable coal leases in the Smoky River district of the Alberta Peace river, some 200 miles north of Edmonton, leases have been cancelled by orders of Hon. Arthur Meighen, minister of the interior. As a consequence, the application for the right to build a railway to be known as the Athabasca, Grande Prairie and Vermilion railway will go no further than its present stage.

Officials of the geological survey branch have testified before the senate committee that the coal area in question is probably the richest in Canada, and that if developed and connected with the main line to the south it would be able to supply the whole of the west with a coal almost equal in quality to the Pennsylvania anthracite.

Hoover Resigns As Food Controller

Will Remain as Director of Newly Organized Grain Corporation

New York.—The resignation of Herbert Hoover as chairman of the board of directors of the food administration grain corporation and reorganization of the corporation under the name "United States Grain Corporation" was announced at the annual meeting of stockholders here.

Hoover's place as chairman will be filled by Julius Barnes, wheat director, who also is president of the corporation. It was said Mr. Hoover would continue a director, but that his resignation of the chairmanship marked the first step toward his retirement from public life.

Builders Are Back

Winnipeg.—Members of thirteen building trades unions, who have been on strike for the past nine weeks, have returned to work.

With the reopening of work contractors began to rush plans for construction that was in prospect this spring, and whose abandonment had not been forced by the shortness of the remaining building season.

Lord Raleigh Dead

London.—Baron Raleigh (John William Strutt) has passed away. He was known as the "peer shopkeeper," having established a chain of milk shops in London which were supplied from his own farm. He was born in 1842.

Senate Refused to Change Vote

Ottawa.—The senate has voted down the motion of Sir James Lougheed, government leader, that they do not insist on their amendment on the prohibition bill, by a majority of seven, the vote standing 30 to 23.

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Reign Of Terror In Russia

Women and Children Are Slain By the Bolsheviks

New York.—A graphic story of a reign of terror in Bolshevik Russia is recited by John A. Embury, United States consul at Omsk, the seat of the Kolchak government, who has arrived on a leave of absence. Mr. Embury declared no language could adequately picture the scenes of murder, violation of women, arson and theft which he had seen personally or had described to him by credible eye-witnesses.

Mr. Embury backed his story, particularly that of the ravage of the city of Ufa, by photographs, many of which he declared he had taken himself, and which record appalling instances of wholesale butchery of women and children.

Mr. Embury said he had visited Ufa immediately after the Bolsheviks withdrew before Kolchak's forces. He learned from survivors of Bolshevik occupation, he said, that the Bolshevik soldiers had looted the entire city and then organized a "government" consisting of committees. One of these committees, he said, was called the extraordinary committee on executions.

This committee, he declared, had all members of the city government rounded up, and ordered virtually all of them shot. The head of the committee, he said, had personally executed the president of the council, who was brought before him on a stretcher.

A few days after his arrival in Ufa, Mr. Embury said he followed a crowd of residents into a nearby wood, where they came upon scores of bodies of women and children, disclosed by the melting snow, who had been driven into the woods and brutally slain. He exhibited a photograph showing twenty of these victims, the bodies of many mangled almost past recognition. About 200 bodies were found in the woods, he said. Pupils at the Ufa high school, he said, had been lined up and brutally slain. He displayed photographs of some of these victims with an appeal for the victory loan, with one of his typical dashes: "Don't let us spoil the spirit of patriotism!"

Speaking of the territorial terms of the treaty, he said the territory taken from Germany was a matter of restoration. It was restoration of Alsace Lorraine, he said, taken forcibly by the hand to which its population was deeply attached; it was a restoration of Schleswig-Holstein, the taking of which he described as "the meanest of Hohenzollern's frauds, robbing a helpless country in the pretense they were not doing it, and then retaining the land against the wishes of the population"; a restoration of "Poland," torn to bits by Russian, Austrian and Prussian autocracy and now reunited under the flag of Poland! And, he added: "They are all territories which ought not to belong to Germany."

The British delegation, the premier said, has taken a stand resolutely opposing any attempt to award a predominantly German population under Polish rule, as it would be foolish to do so.

Pensions Bill Is Up For Discussion

New Measure Considered Satisfactory By Major Williams, M.P.

Vancouver.—"A new pensions bill will be brought in parliament this session. It will not please everyone. It does not meet entirely with my approval, but I want to tell you that it undoubtedly meets the most general provisions of any pensions' bill in the world," said Major George B. Andrews, M.P. for Centre Winnipeg, speaking as a delegate at the G.W.V.A. convention.

The statement made by Major Andrews follows the presentation by the resolutions committee of a long resolution comprising no fewer than 17 sections, in which the desires of the veterans as set out in a large number of resolutions from various branches had been incorporated, and which it was hoped that the Dominion convention would endorse.

Help In Time Of Trouble

Britain and States to Act in Concert in Aiding France

Paris.—The Franco-British and Franco-American treaty, the Journal says, provides that the intervention of Great Britain and the United States on behalf of France against Germany shall be interdependent. Great Britain and the United States, it is advised, will only help France by combined action and not separately. The paper declares that their intervention must occur if the dismemberment of the Rhine territory is not sufficient to protect France from German aggression.

No Abatement in Forest Fires

Haleybury, Ont.—Two more settlers in the bush country west of the town are reported to have lost their farm buildings in the Sharp Lake fire, which is still raging. The victims are named Olsen and Fernholm. Other properties are in grave danger as the flames are spreading before a rising wind.

Some slight showers of rain are reported to have fallen in different parts of the country, but the effect on the fires has been negligible. At Fredrick House the plant of the Beaver Board company is menaced, but is still standing.

The council decided to appoint im-

British Premier On Making Of Peace

London.—Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, the premier, had a good reception from all sections of the House of Commons. His speech was largely impromptu and discursive. He told of the peace conference's efforts to prevent wars in the future, and reviewed some of the striking restrictions put upon Germany in the treaty signed at Versailles.

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It was the intention to make such an example of Germany as to dissuade other powers from "ever again attempting to repeat this infamy." There was a significant passage when the premier first mentioned the League of Nations. Many of the members cheered, but seemingly nearly all of them shot. The head of the committee, he said, had personally executed the president of the council, who was brought before him on a stretcher.

One member shouted, "Nobody wants it!"

The premier paid special tribute to the work of the British expert advisers, which, he said, had been the object of the admiration of the nations at the conference, and ended with an appeal for the victory loan, with one of his typical dashes: "Don't let us spoil the spirit of patriotism!"

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Seats May Be Reserved By Mail

Regina.—Seats may be reserved for parties by mail at the Pantages theatres in both Saskatoon and Regina for the big fair week attraction. The program has been specially selected to suit the times, and will be found to comprise some of the very best vaudevillians of the day. It is suggested that you drop a line to the manager of either of these theatres stating your wishes, and you will be found to comprise some of the very best vaudevillians of the day. It is suggested that you drop a line to the manager of either of these theatres stating your wishes, and you will be found to comprise some of the very best vaudevillians of the day.

Open to Returned Soldiers

Winnipeg.—According to S. Larkin, of the Winnipeg Land Settlement board, the Dominion government is preparing to open for soldier settlement the Riding Mountain and Turtle Mountain forest reserves in Northwest Manitoba.

There are times when it isn't necessary to speak the truth—but at such times it isn't necessary to speak at all.

Council Of Five Directs Conference

Paris.—Premier Clemenceau, Foreign Minister Balfour, Secretary of State Lansing, Foreign Minister Picton, Baron Makarov and Viscount Chinda of Japan, and Foreign Minister Tittoni of Italy, decide to constitute a new council of five. This council of five will have as its members Foreign Minister Balfour, Secretary Lansing, M. Picton, Foreign Minister Tittoni and Baron Makarov.

Member of the Japanese delegation, he said, will be present, administering, "until against the Russian commission in Paris." The Russians insist that Romania seized this territory under the guise of a specially created local government, which immediately ceased to exist after the Romanian gained control.

The agreement between France and the United States, and France and Great Britain, for the defence of France against attack by Germany, it is understood, will not become valid as far as Great Britain is concerned until the Franco-American convention is ratified by the United States senate.

Belgium has named its two members of the commission which will revise the treaty of 1839, and the peace conference has requested Holland to name its members so that a meeting can be held soon in Paris.

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and Tobaccos
Ice Cream and Soft Drinks

GOLDEN CENTER COUNCIL

The fifth meeting of council of M.D. of Golden Center No. 272 was held at 13:30-5, on Wednesday, July 1, 1919. Members all present. Council called to order by reeve and business transacted as follows. Minutes read and confirmed. Correspondence read and disposed of.

Thos. Barker was employed to secure missing crops reports.

The following accounts were paid:

Wm. Burke, hauling wagons to town	\$ 7.00
Road work, per ton sheet of J. Mahaffey	388.50
Road work, per ton sheet of C. Robinson	67.50
Road work, per ton sheet of Ball & Smith	350.00
Road work, per ton sheet of C. Johnstone	711.50
Road work, per ton sheet of J. Thompson	389.50
Chinook Agric Society, grant	50.00
Richdale S.D.	200.00
Farming Valley S.D., loan	100.00
Wenger Heights S.D., loan	75.00
J. A. Waterhouse, axle grease	1.65
Chinook Advance, forms and statements	72.50
Crown Lumber Co., Lumber for culverts	5.40
J. R. McConnell, nails	5.40
Empire Lumber Co., lumber for culverts	376.40
Western Municipal News, forms	8.95
London Guarantee & Accident Co.	5.80
J. A. Williams, destruction of gophers	12.00
Alberta Gazette, notice	9.00
J. W. Pemberton, hospital fees \$40.00	
Assessment SE 25-25-5 was lowered from \$14.00 to \$12.00 per acre.	
Assessment SE 31-36-6 was sustained.	
Assessment SE 4-31-5 was lowered from \$13 to \$12 per acre.	
Branding iron was ordered for branding machinery.	
Carl Johnstone was appointed chief weed Inspector for west half of municipality with S. McLachlan as assistant.	
Councillor Logan was empowered to employ, if necessary, assistant weed inspector for east half of municipality.	
Council adjourned to meet Wednesday, August 6.	

RALPH GREENE,
Sec-Treas.

WEATHER REPORT

Readings taken in the mornings and how temperatures of previous hours.

	Max.	Min.
Friday, July 4	28	50
Saturday, July 5	85	55
Monday, July 7	75	38
Tuesday, July 8	77	40
Wednesday, July 9	42	34
Thursday, July 10	46	34

REIST

Dry weather still in these parts. Things do not look as promising as they did a few weeks ago.

Milton Ely and brother, and his wife and friend from High River, district, have called on their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wenger, aquat of Youngtown. They also called at this place and visited friends hereabouts, leaving for their homes on Monday.

A Reist, who has been working for J. G. Dewer since last fall, is now on his own place again, and Mr. D. is now looking after his own place again.

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First-Class Round Trip Tickets to Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego

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Wheat, No. 1	\$ 2.00
" No. 2	1.97
" No. 3	1.92
Oats, No 2, Canada West	70
Oats, feed	67
Barley	1.00
Flax	
Corn	
Live Hogs (Calgary)	00.00
Eggs	30
Butter	35

MONEY TO LOAN

Osgar, Hammond and Nanton, general agents for North of Scotland and other Mortgage Companies have \$300,000 invested in farm lands in the West, the returns from which they re-invest in the same way. They have lots of money now. Their Inspector, Mr. Stickney, who was in the district a few days ago, says "They have barrels of money, and that no good loan will be refused."

Let them renew the loan you have on your homestead, and give you more on your new one. If you wish to pay up your indebtedness or let them give you a new loan, larger and probably larger, than you can get elsewhere. The district needs all the money we can get hold of in this way. Pay up your indebtedness to the bank, to the municipality, to the school, and to others. We can furnish the money. Loans for five years, repayable in three years, without extra charge. Interest at 8 per cent,—nothing but the interest to pay each year.

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\$10.00 REWARD

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Tall Bay Gelding, two white hind feet, star in for 11...
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N. Kerr, N.G., F. Boyer, R.S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

CHINOOK LODGE, No. 40, meets on the First and Third Thursdays of every month in their Castle Hall, Arm's Block, Chinook.

Visiting members are cordially invited to attend.

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CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

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Ancient Jerusalem Is Spotless Town

First Governor Cleared Up After Turks

Jerusalem.—The first Christian governor of Jerusalem is a clergyman's son, who became an Oriental scholar at Cambridge in order to enter the service of the British Foreign Office in Egypt. The army took him away from political work in the near east and made him military governor of the province of Jerusalem with the rank of lieutenant-colonel. He now wears the crossed baton and sword of a brigadier-general, but by inclination he is still "Mr." Ronald Storrs.

He is junior only to Major-General Money, chief administrator of the occupied enemy territory administration (south) of the Egyptian expeditionary force of the British army, which under the command of Gen. Sir Edmund H. Allenby wrested Palestine from the German-Turkish forces. Under the laws and usages of war, the O. E. T. A. is charged with the duty of administering Palestine merely in the interim between its military occupation and its permanent disposition by the peace conference. It has taken up the task of administration where the enemy left off, and its function is provisionally to enforce the body of Turkish law which the enemy left behind.

By the letter of military law it is quite possible that the O. E. T. A. should have left Jerusalem's fifth exactly where it lay until a permanent form of administration was set up to clean out the house and live in it. But nobody need expect an Englishman to move into a house vacated by a Turk without indulging in an orgy of soap and water. The result is that when a permanent administration is finally set up in Palestine, it will find its house scrubbed, swept and fumigated for it.

The headquarters of O. E. T. A. (south) are located on the Mount of Olives, near Jerusalem. It divides Palestine into ten provinces, by far the most important of which is the Jerusalem province. This runs east from the city of Jerusalem to the Dead Sea and north for a distance along the Jordan. It is of this district that Brig.-Gen. Storrs, C.M.G., C.B.E., is military governor.

Gen. Storrs was born in London, where his father, who is now Dean of Rochester, in Kent, was vicar of St. Peter's, Eaton Square. He was educated at Charterhouse, one of England's most famous public schools, and at Cambridge took first class honors in the classical tripos. He began the study of Arabic under a scheme of Lord Cromer's, high commissioner for Egypt, for training specially selected men for the Egyptian civil service. This was followed by a year's special study under Professor Brown, a widely-known Oriental authority.

In 1904 he came to Egypt to take a position in the ministry of finance. Soon afterward he became Oriental secretary at the British embassy in Cairo under Lord Cromer, a position which he occupied through the commissionership of Lord Kitchener, Sir Henry MacMahon and Sir Reginald Wingate. Throughout Lord Kitchener's tenure of the Egyptian commissionership, Mr. Storrs was very closely associated with him.

When the war began, Mr. Storrs participated largely in the political work involved in the settling up of the British protectorate over Egypt. Throughout the war, he rendered exceedingly valuable political services in Arabia and Mesopotamia, the story of which will form one of the most fascinating chapters of the war when the time comes for it to be told.

He was associated with the late Sir Mark Sykes on the Anglo-French commission and visited Bagdad in May and June, 1917. In July of that year, in an attempt to cross the Arabian desert in the height of the summer, he suffered a heat stroke which not only compelled him to abandon the attempt, but to return to England on sick leave. En route, he was torpedoed in the ss. Mooltan, but reached England to spend a month in the secretariat of the war cabinet. He returned to Egypt late in 1917 to resume political work. Shortly after Gen. Allenby entered Jerusalem, Col. Bolton Pasha, who had been made military governor, was compelled to vacate his post by reason of ill-health. It was then, on Dec. 27, 1917, that the army made Mr. Storrs a lieutenant-colonel and gave him the nearly evacuated city of Jerusalem—foul, starving and utterly chaotic—to clean up. As a result of his work, Jerusalem is now a clean and decent place to live in. Probably it has never been so before, in all its 5,000 years of history.

Physically, Brig.-Gen. Storrs is a big man with a crisp moustache and the ruddy face of an Englishman. He wears the ribbon of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, the Order of the British Empire, the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, the Order of the Saviour (Greek), and the Order of the

Crown of Italy. He is 37, a bachelor and speaks Latin, Greek, French, Italian, Arabic and Hebrew. —Clair Price.

Commercial Seed Growing

Should Become One of the Most Important Industries of Western Canada

The growing of seed on a commercial scale should become one of the most important industries of Western Canada. The three Prairie Provinces have already gained a world-wide reputation for the excellence of their seed grain, and it has been practically demonstrated that other seed can be grown equally well. Farmers from these provinces have always won many of the prizes for alfalfa, peas, all kinds of forage grasses, potatoes and vegetable seed, in addition to seed grain, at the leading international expositions on the American continent. Timothy seed production has grown to be a substantial industry in parts of Alberta, and a ready market is available for all that is grown.

Under irrigation in Southern Alberta the production of seed will, no doubt, become a big factor in the development of these large areas. The success that has been obtained on one and a half to three-acre plots with various kinds of clover seed has clearly demonstrated the great possibilities with this seed on larger plots.

It is interesting to learn that the Western Canada Irrigation Association propose to discuss commercial seed growing at the convention which is to be held at Medicine-Hat, Alberta, August 4th, 5th and 6th. Papers will be read by some of the most eminent authorities on the continent, and from the discussion, in which practical farmers will participate, much valuable information on this important phase of agriculture should be disclosed.

Germans Stole The Gospels

Celebrated Book One of Treasures of Cathedral of Rheims*

That Belgium and northern France were systematically robbed by the Germans of everything of value, is becoming more and more apparent every day. This is particularly true of rare books, paintings and products of the fine arts. World wide search, more particularly in Germany, is being made for the celebrated Book of Gospels, which was one of the treasures of the Cathedral of Rheims, which disappeared during the German occupation of that city. The Archibishop of Rheims has received assurances from Rome that endeavors will be made to trace the volume through the Roman Catholic clergy and religious orders in Germany.

The lost volume was magnificently bound, and with golden coverings richly set with precious stones, couched in the old Bulgarian language. It was held in the greatest veneration throughout Eastern Europe as the most ancient Slav copy of the Gospel in existence. It is said to have been brought to France in the tenth century by Princess Anna Jaroslav, the Slav consort of King Henry I of France, and from that time forth was used at the coronation of every ruler of France. Relying when made his efforts to safeguard the rights and privileges of the Roman Catholic Church.

The volume was hidden away during the French Revolution, reappearing on the Bourbon restoration in 1815. Whole collections of rarities have been gathered up and carried away. It is probable that only a small portion will ever be returned to France and Belgium. At some future time, when the dispersal can safely be made, these rarities will be taken from their hiding places and will find their way to the rare book markets of the world.—*The Publishers' Weekly*.

War Service Gratuity

Ottawa.—By a recent order, the government has taken action of great importance regarding war service gratuities. It will be remembered that under previous regulations the war service gratuity on the higher scale was retroactive beyond Nov. 11, 1918, only with respect to such men as served in an actual theatre of war.

This is now changed and the gratuity will be paid on the higher scale (minimum three months; maximum six months) to all those who served overseas. With respect to those who served only in Canada the regulation is made retroactive beyond Nov. 11, 1918, to all who served for a period of one year or over.

"Well, I am an old man, but I have lived my time and am ready to quit. I have lived to see four great things come to pass—the end of the war, the churches closed, saloons left open and the women muzzled."

Stowaways Will Be Deported

How They Managed to Secure Uniforms Is Mystery

Victoria, B.C.—Disguised as Canadian soldiers, the eight Russian stowaways who succeeded in boarding the transport Montague at Vladivostok are believed to be Bolshevik emissaries sent out to this country with the object of spreading Bolshevik propaganda.

Upon the arrival of the Montague here, the stowaways, who claimed to be Russian Jews, were kept under strict surveillance, being in charge of an armed guard and were deported by the liner on her next outward voyage to the Far East.

As they were full Canadian uniforms, the Russians experienced no difficulty in getting aboard the ship at the Siberian port. They filed up the gangway with the Canadians, and but for the vigilance of the military and ship's officers the prospects of their entry into the country without being suspected appeared extremely bright.

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Britain's Silver Bullets

Made to Fight for Common Cause in Widely Separated Fields

Throughout the war Great Britain made her world fight. Most of it fought for herself, but a large part was fought to her allies and to her dominions, and so made to fight for the common cause in widely separated fields.

Expressing sums in round numbers and converting pounds into dollars, it can be stated that of the total of \$30,000,000,000 charged to the credit votes of the British parliament from the beginning of the war to March 31, 1918—more than a year ago—\$1,000,000,000 to allies accounted for \$5,000,000,000, and loans to the dominions for \$400,000,000.

The sums advanced to the allies were approximately as follows:

To Russia, \$2,200,000,000; to France, \$1,300,000,000; to Italy, \$1,200,000,000; to Belgium, \$200,000,000; to other states, \$100,000,000.

British fired her own bullets of lead; she used many of her silver bullets, but not all.

The Sheep Industry

New Blood Is Secured for Saskatchewan Flocks

Last year the Livestock Branch of the Saskatchewan department of agriculture imported a number of Ramboillet rams and ewes and distributed them among sheep owners in the province. They have proved well adapted to Saskatchewan conditions, and more importations will probably be made to the province this year.

During the last few years many farmers in Saskatchewan have found that a flock of sheep on their farm is one of the best money makers they can have, and it is not surprising that more and more are entering into the business. The interest that is being shown in the improvement of the flocks is another step in the advance of the industry. There are now numerous flocks of pure breed sheep in various parts of the province, returning their owners a steady income out of all proportion to the initial cost of breeding stock.

J. F. Dixon Arrested

Winnipeg.—J. F. Dixon, M.L.A. for Centre Winnipeg, was taken into custody at the central police station on a charge of sedition. Mr. Dixon called the building and stated that he had been informed that a warrant had been issued for his arrest, and that he was prepared to answer any charge that might be preferred against him. He was told that his information was correct and was thereupon taken into custody and removed to the provincial jail.

The Non-Stop Flights

"British opinion" is said to oppose further non-stop transatlantic flights at present because of the great risk.

The point is well taken. As the matter stands also there is wisdom in

Lieut. Brown's opinion that the seaplane is the best kind of heavier-than-air machine in which to attempt such a journey. There seems little to be said for relying on one element only for safety when two are equally available.—Springfield Republican.

Following His Object

Farmer (noticing erratic course of ploughman): "Hm! Can't you plough straight? I told you to plough to an object."

City Farm Hand: So I did, Mr. Hobson! It's just flown into the next field.

British Telephone Enterprise In Turkey

Engineers Established Exchange in Constantinople Before War

Before the war a very satisfactory telephone exchange system had been established by British engineers in Constantinople. Many of the engineers and others engaged on this enterprise had gained their experience in the development of British telephony, and they met the peculiar conditions in Constantinople with great ingenuity.

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Do You Know the 9 Points?

One talks about the "nine points of the law," one learns the contract them, but not everyone can enumerate them. For future reference then, the following are the nine requisites for success in a suit-at-law:

1. A good deal of money.
2. A good deal of patience.
3. A good cause.
4. A good lawyer.
5. A good counsel.
6. Good witnesses.
7. A good jury.
8. A good judge.
9. Good luck.

Genuine Aspirin
Has "Bayer Cross"

Tablets Without "Bayer Cross" Not Aspirin At All

Get Genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer Package, Plainly Marked With the Safety "Bayer Cross"



There is not a penny of German money invested in "Bayer" Tablets of Aspirin. They are German citizen to its salt or ever be allowed to acquire interest.

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A Foreigner

"The professor seems a trifle cast down."

"Just a little flabbergasted. He uses very correct English."

"Yes, a slangy salesgirl had to call a floorwalker to interpret for her. She thought the professor was some kind of a foreigner."

Worth Seeing

"Lady outside wants to see you?" "I wonder if she's worth seeing?" "She is. Blue eyes, golden hair, perfect figure. Oh, boy!"

A man can still get a good pair of shoes for \$6, but a woman must pay more, because her shoes come higher.

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WAGSTAFFE'S

Real Seville
Orange
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All Orange and Sugar—
No camomile.
Bottled with care in Silver Pans.

Ask Your Grocer for it.

Japan Tourists Goal

30,000,000 Yen From Influx of Foreigners in 1918

Japan receives from visitors to her shores a sum exceeding the value of her exports of coal.

The Mikado's empire is estimated to have received more than 30,000,000 yen from the influx of foreigners in 1918, or \$2,000,000 more than the total exports of coal made by Japan. Japanese coal dominates the fuel situation in this part of the world.

The disorders in Russia have sent visitors of this nationality up from approximately 2,000 a year to over 8,000 in 1918. Those of British nationality have remained at an average figure of 3,000 a year, their movement being appreciably affected by the great war so far as volume is concerned.

The Dutch have increased decidedly, now numbering approximately 500. The French have doubled their number. French subjects to the extent of 600 passing through Japan in 1918. The restraints resulting from the war have been most pronounced in the case of the United States citizens.

Where Babies Are Salted

The strange custom of salting newborn babies is still practiced in certain regions of Europe and Asia. The method varies with the differing nationalities of the peoples employing it. The Armenians of Russia cover the entire skin of the infant with very fine salt. This is left on the baby for three hours or more, when it is washed off with warm water.

A mountain tribe of Asia Minor are even more peculiar in this regard than the Armenians, for they are alleged to keep their new-born babies covered with salt for a period of 24 hours. The modern Greeks also sprinkle their babies with salt. The mothers imagine that this practice brings health and strength to their offspring, and serves to keep away the evil spirits as well.

SAVE THE CHILDREN

Mothers who keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house may feel that the lives of their little ones are reasonably safe during the winter months.

Stomach troubles, cholera, infant and diarrhoea carry off thousands of little ones every summer, in most cases because the mother does not have a safe medicine to give her child. Baby's Own Tablets relieve these troubles, or if given occasionally to the well child will prevent their coming on. The Tablets are guaranteed by government analysis to be absolutely safe, and the best in the nation today. They are especially good in summer because they regulate the bowels and keep the stomach sweet and pure. They are sold by medicine dealers, or by mail at 25 cents each. The Clark's Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Lloyd's Register for 1910 contained the Olivia, built in 1819, and writing in 1833, Admiral Martin recorded that the small vessel in which James II. escaped from Rochester was still in use conveying goods from one dock-yard to another.

International Air Race Announced

Toronto.—An intercolonial aerial race, which will start simultaneously from Toronto and New York, will be held on August 25 with the Prince of Wales as the starter, it has been announced here. Stops will be made at Buffalo, Syracuse and Albany.

A prize of \$5,000 and a trophy have been offered by John M. Bowman, of New York. It is expected there will be more than two score entries.

The Fee of Indigestion.—Indigestion is a common ailment and few are free from it. It is a most distressing complaint and often causes severe pain. The best remedy is Paremet's Vegetable Pills taken according to directions. They rectify the irregular action of the stomach and restore tone. They have been a standard remedy for dyspepsia and indigestion, and are highly esteemed for their qualities.

The professor of elocution was instructing the young man in the art of public speaking.

"When you have finished your lecture," he said, "you must bow gracefully and leave the platform on tiptoe."

"Why on tiptoe?" queried the youth.

"So as not to wake the audience," replied the professor.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

It is said that contentment is better than riches—but most people are willing to take chances with the riches.

A proverb is an undisputed fact with whiskers on it.

The Oil for the Athlete.—In nothing down, the athlete can not run, swim, jump, etc.—is the oil of Minard's Liniment. It renders the muscles and sinews pliable, takes the soreness out of them and strengthens them for strains that may be put upon them. It stands pre-eminent for this purpose, and doctors who for years have used it can testify to its value as a lubricant.

Hung Hats on Kitchener's Peg.—"Hang your hat on Kitchener's peg" was the word that went down the line when a group of United States fighting men passed through the peer's lobby in the House of Lords, London. And every American took off his hat and hung it for a second on the peg that bore the name of Lord Kitchener. It was a breach of regulations, but a showing of regard for the dead field marshal that the British appreciated.

State of Queen Victoria for B.C.—London.—A bronze statue of Queen Victoria, 33 feet high, and weighing two tons, is shortly to be conveyed by steamer for the erection in the parliament house garden at Victoria, B.C. It was fashioned some years ago for the British Columbia government and is hoped that it will arrive in time to be unveiled by the Prince of Wales.

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I, Frank J. Cheney, Notary Public, HALIS'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally in a small quantity of blood on the mucous surfaces of the System. Druggists 75c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney, Toledo, Ohio.

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Bonus for Ranks of Canadian Navy.

Ottawa.—In order to secure 500 officers and men required for service in Canadian navy, the department of naval service has decided to offer a bonus over and above the present pay rate of pay and pecuniary effective in the case of all who joined the navy subsequent to June 1, 1919.

The bonus will be 75 cents per day for seamen, \$1 per day for petty officers, sub-lieutenants, lieutenants, lieutenant commanders, commanders, captains and equivalent ranks.

The bonus is given because of the impossibility of securing recruits at the present rate of pay. Provision is also made for married allowances to married men and officers.

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Britain's Gigantic Losses During Drive

Minister of Munitions Asks for Vote of Provision of 185,000,000 Pounds

London.—In the house of commons F. G. Kellaway, deputy minister of munitions, asked for a vote of a provision of £185,000,000 for the year ending March 31, of which £90,000,000 is an aftermath of the war, and the balance represents supplies to other departments of the government, air ministry and local government board, the last mentioned being purchased for the government's housing scheme.

The total expenditure of the ministry of munitions since its establishment was £1,834,507,941. Mr. Kellaway revealed that the British losses in materials during the German offensive in the spring of 1918 were 1,000 big guns, 10,000 tons of ammunition, 4,000 machine guns, 400,000 rifles, 700 trench mortars and 200 tanks, yet within a fortnight all had been replaced, and in many cases with superior weapons. On the day the Hindenburg line was broken the British fired 943,000 shells, more than were fired in the whole South African war. Fifteen thousand tons of poison gas were supplied in 1918 alone.

The introduction of a cost system saved the country £300,000,000 in the ministry of munitions alone; 7,344 contracts, involving £102,000,000, were still running, and disposals by the department had realized £130,000,000 to date. It was getting such good prices for the state that it was now accused of profiteering. Six hundred and fifty thousand pounds sterling had been realized from the sale of motor transports during the last three weeks.

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Come and enjoy a few hours with us

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Chinook Breezes

J. M. Davis is shipping a car of cattle to Calgary this week.

Jack Dempster, from Toledo, Ohio, is visiting in Chinook this week.

Mr. C. A. Holden lost a valuable 2-year-old standard bred mare by poisoning from gopher poisoning.

A valuable horse belonging to Mr. Dowling, who lives north of Chinook, had its leg broken one day last week.

Mr. Stata and son Vincent and Harry, spent a very pleasant week at Calgary, returning home on Monday.

The Chinook Sunday school friends enjoyed a very pleasant picnic on the farm of Mr. M. E. Bird, south of the town, on Wednesday afternoon.

The platform at the Chinook depot is being extended about 100 feet to the west and the same east, and takes in the whole length of the passenger cars and engine.

School Inspector Mitchell, and Mrs. Mitchell and daughter, leave today by motor for Edmonton for some three weeks. Mr. Mitchell will be on the school examination papers.

Last week Mr. Lewis, north of Chinook, lost a very fine team of grey horses through eating gopher poison. More care should be taken when putting out gopher poison, particularly where animals are pasturing.

Messrs. J. W. Deman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Deman, Mr. and Mrs. Dell, and Mrs. Dell's sister, leave by cars tomorrow morning, via Calgary, for two or three weeks' camp at Banff.

By reference to posters, a garden party will be given at the Chinook Church and grounds under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid, on Tuesday evening, July 15th. Ice cream and an excellent program. A very hearty invitation is extended to everyone to join in the evening's enjoyment.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wright are entertaining an honored visitor in the person of Mr. Wright's brother James. Mr. Wright saw much service at the front, and had many narrow escapes. At one time he was struck on the arm by a fragment of shell. Later on blood poisoning set in, and he was in hospital for some time. He is not seeing this part of the country at its best.

Chinook Breezes
In a most one-sided game on Tuesday evening at Chinook, Cereal went down to defeat to the Chinook team by a score of 18 to 0.

Youngstown defeated Oyen in a league game on the home ground. Youngstown won by a score of 5 to 2. Securing this victory puts the local team at the top of the league.

League Standing P W L Pct.
Youngstown ... 7 5 2 714
Oyen ... 7 4 3 571
Chinook ... 7 3 4 429
Cereal ... 7 2 5 286

VOTING ON MUNICIPALITY

Voting was in progress Wednesday in territorial unit number 213, which includes all land in Township 25 to the Red Deer River in ranges 7 to 9 inclusive.

The movement was first agitated last March and while no public meetings have been held a committee was appointed who were instructed to take a vote of the people in the area affected to decide whether the majority are in favor of making application for the formation of a municipal district. If the result of the polling shows a general desire for the formation of a district application will be made in due course, while an adverse vote is recorded the matter will be dropped.

Up to the time of going to press no report has been received as to the result of the voting.

COLLHOLME COUNCIL IN REGULAR MEETING

Council Will Borrow \$2,000 Extra to Pay for Seed Grain

The fifth meeting of the council of M.D. of Collholme for the year was held in Collholme school on Saturday, July 5 at 10 o'clock. All members were present.

After the minutes of the previous meeting had been read and approved and the correspondence of the finance committee presented a number of accounts which were passed on.

The following amounts paid since last meeting to school districts were approved: Keystone, \$300; Heathdale, \$100; Payette, \$100; Collholme, \$100; Reaville, \$200; Clover Leaf, \$200; Canada, \$50; Laughlin, \$350.

On motion of Mr. Marr, Mr. Little was authorized to go to the land agent on SW 28-26-7 at \$1 per acre, made by George H. Simpson, for a road allowance on the east side of 26-28 to see if it is advisable to move the fence back on section 26 in order to get around a large hill on this road. An offer was made by Mr. Simpson to pay for the land when the title is received by the municipality.

On motion of Mr. Kinch it was decided to tax the lands against the east boundary of 42-28-7 at \$1 per acre. This was first filed on by Allen Wagner until the date of cancellation of his entry regarded as a debt owing the municipality by Mr. Wagner, and that steps be taken to secure the municipality against loss to their collection.

The secretary was instructed to order two faxes for use in Division 5.

On motion of Mr. Marr a bylaw authorizing the sale of grain at \$2.00 for payment of seed grain advanced during the spring was passed.

The council adjourned until Saturday, August 2, at 10 o'clock, in Collholme school.

JUDGMENT FOR SOLDIER'S WIDOW

Judgment was given last week by Hon. Justice Stuart in the action brought by Mrs. Argo, widow of David Argo, at one time a contractor in Calgary, who enlisted in the 50th Battalion, and was killed in France, against the executors of the estate of the late D. N. Macleod, at one time a farmer near Youngstown, who also enlisted in the 50th Battalion, and like Sergt. Argo, was also killed in France.

The claim of Mrs. Argo was for \$600, being the face value of an I.O.U. given to her in June, 1915, by Pte. Macleod, prior to the battalion leaving for France. It was acknowledged by Mrs. Argo that she had received \$200 from Macleod, but she claimed that this amount was paid on account of another transaction. Three handwriting experts were called during the trial—W. Ludowici, of Copeland Business College, for the plaintiff, and F. M. Harvie, city auditor, and F. G. Garbutt, for the defendant.

While not discrediting Mrs. Argo's evidence with regard to the payment of the \$200, the court held that a certain amount of corroboration of such evidence, especially with regard to the estate of a deceased soldier, was necessary. Judgment was, therefore, given for \$400 and costs against the executors of the Macleod estate.

Saturday, July 19, has been officially designated as "holiday" to celebrate the signing of peace. This day is being universally adopted throughout the British Empire.

FOR SALE—Or trade for heifer, my light roan registered Shorthorn bull North Star 130246. Born June 20, 1918. For full particulars apply E. J. Ellis, Collholme, Alta. Jy-33

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In to my place, a red cow, with white strip on back.

A. SWITZER,
GINMUNDY
E. m

\$10.00 REWARD

For information leading to recovery of

One Sorrel Gelding, 7 years old, 1400 lbs, white strip on face, 2 white hind feet, branded X on right shoulder, and on left flank X.

One Light Bay Gelding, 12 years old, 1210 lbs, white strip on face, 2 white hind feet, no brand

J. GOGO,
Bindloss, Alta.

\$15 REWARD

For information leading to the recovery of

One Black Gelding, about 1400 lbs, white face and two white hind feet, no brand, Percheron breed

One Bay Gelding, about 1200 lbs, branded F on left shoulder, white face and three white legs, Clydesdale breed

One Mare, about 1100 lbs, white face, colt with mare with big white face and three white legs

W. M. SNELL & BROTHER
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